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Transmitted herewith are the following in the above-identified patent application:

- 1. Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement Under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c)
- 2. Form PTO-1449 and copies of 6 references
- 3. Copy of copending US Application No. 09/302,898, titled "Polynucleotide Array Fabrication"

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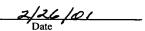
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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c)

The following is a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement submitted for the Examiner's consideration.

Applicants respectfully call the Examiner's attention to copending US Patent Application Serial No. 09/302,898, filed April 30, 1999, by Michael P. Caren et al.,

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